

MUNICIPAL MATTERS

Regular Meeting Held Nov. 2, 1914.

City Council Chamber, Rock Island, Ill., Nov. 2, 1914. The city council met in regular session at 3 o'clock p. m. Mayor Schriver and all commissioners present.

Commissioner Rudgren read a report from City Engineer Trechler relative to the condition of Sixth avenue between Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth streets, which on his motion were ordered received and placed on file.

Commissioner Rudgren submitted the following weekly pay roll for week ending Oct. 31, which on his motion was allowed by unanimous vote:

Emil Frank	\$ 14.70
Al Sogden	12.60
Joe Lehnberger	12.60
Fred Wells	12.60
Walter Wise	2.10
John Nelson	16.80
Bert Nichols	16.80
Donis Collins	12.60
M. C. Talbot	12.60
P. Loge	13.65
W. O'Brien	12.60
J. Parks	12.60
B. Ranson	13.65
H. South	12.60
J. Wilhouse	12.60
J. Wilhite	12.60
George Schaub, last week	2.10
J. Ehlers, last week	2.10
C. Schlemmer	12.60
F. Gest	12.60
H. Uke	12.60
W. Eckermann	14.70
C. Clausen	12.60
M. Helfrick	8.40
C. Schyrens	6.30
P. Heverling	2.10
J. Marr	18.90
M. McDonald	10.50
D. Whitten	10.50
Jake Hetter	8.40
William Fee	8.40
D. Swarthwood	12.60
Joe Stroeble	12.60
T. Manuel	13.65
Recapitulation.	\$385.35

Street and bridge account	\$165.95
Sewer account	50.70
Contingent account	56.70
Waterworks expense account	54.60
Reservoir expense account	58.80
Recapitulation.	\$385.35

Commissioner Rudgren presented the following list of claims for salaries, which on his motion were allowed by unanimous vote:

M. T. Schriver	\$ 208.35
M. T. Rudgren	166.70
Robert Reynolds	166.70
Archie Hart	166.70
Jonas Bear	166.70
Wallace Trechler	50.00
James F. Witter	50.00
Oscar Johnson	50.00
Velma Hickman	25.00
Isa D. Stone	30.00
Oscar O. Litt	12.50
G. Newberry	52.50
P. Frey	45.00
J. Valentine	37.50
B. Brann	37.50
G. Hale	37.50
C. Lundberg	36.25
C. Miller	35.00
H. Barber	33.75
C. Swanson	33.99
H. Dasso	32.65
L. Thomas	30.24
T. Smith	49.00
A. Schmidt	37.50
H. Bloomquist	36.25
W. O'Neil	32.65
F. Hayman	40.00
C. Milow	37.50
C. Glas	37.50
E. Schadt	37.50
H. Hermann	32.50
H. Hermann	40.00
B. Stephens	35.00
E. Clark	32.65
F. Geginheimer	32.50
James Brinn	50.00
L. Kramer	41.66
Herman Sehnert	41.66
Thomas Cox	41.66
John Furlong	37.50
Art Kinsey	37.50
Joe Frankhouser	37.50
Charles Bleuer	37.50
John Johnson	37.50
John Kinney	37.50
Dennis McCarthy	37.50
David Fitzgerald	37.50
William Fitzsimmons	37.50
Charles Ginnane	37.50
E. F. Kell	37.50
G. Kirsch	37.50
Fred Gruby	37.50
Walter Lloyd	37.50
Bolin Berry	37.50
Mike Collins	37.50
John Sullivan	37.50
John Holzhammer	37.50
Gus Uke	37.50
John Newerk	37.50
P. J. Carey	37.50
Mrs. M. Schroeder	20.00
G. G. Craig	25.00
A. N. Pratt	37.50
John Joers	62.50
S. Hull	40.00
H. Uke	40.00
John Faust	16.80
George Bushman	17.85
F. Donaway	25.40
Art Donaway	27.50
L. D. Poyell	27.50
C. Fuller	49.00
C. Cushman	27.50
C. Cushman	9.00
Mrs. Mary L. Dumbauld	36.00
David Karr	10.00
Herman Winkler	37.50
J. H. Stapp	62.50
V. Murphy	40.00
R. W. Sharp	160.00
W. H. Wise	50.00
H. Morgan	42.00
N. Holzner	42.00
Ed Canfield	33.00
P. Schenbricker	33.00
Joe Whelan	33.00
C. Skinner	40.00
A. J. Stimmers	40.00
C. Atkinson	35.00
George Eisel	35.00
Thomas McLean	35.00
Fred Ehnke	35.00
P. Heverling	20.00
Total	\$4,115.04

Recapitulation.

Salary account \$1,092.65
Fire department account 881.06
Police account 992.48
Health account 316.35
Engineering account 85.50
Local improvement account 16.00
City hall account 30.00
Contingent account 47.50
Building and electrical inspection account 102.50

Total general fund \$3,564.04
Waterworks expense account \$ 446.00
Reservoir expense account 105.00

Total waterworks fund \$ 551.00

Grand total \$4,115.04

Commissioner Rudgren offered a resolution that the following claims be allowed, to-wit: Superior Chemical company, \$352.44; L. M. Swanger, \$18.80; Fred D. Watts, \$16.35; Central Union Telephone company, \$12.07; E. B. McKown, \$2.50; Rock Island public library board, \$4.39; Velma Hickman, \$10. Carried by unanimous vote.

Commissioner Reynolds offered a resolution that the request of J. W. Beman to construct an areaway under the sidewalk be granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the city engineer and building inspector on plans submitted to them. Carried by unanimous vote.

Commissioner Hart read reports for the month of October from the chief of police, police matron and building inspector, which on his motion were ordered received and placed on file.

Commissioner Reynolds offered a resolution that Ward & McMahon be allowed the sum of \$17 and William Crubaugh be allowed \$16 for expenses repairing certain sewers. Carried by unanimous vote.

Mayor Schriver offered a resolution that the bid of Potter & Risius for building sidewalks at Seventeenth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenue, at 15 cents, be accepted, and that the bid of Robert Atkinson for sidewalks at Seventeenth street and Seventh avenue, at 15 cents, be accepted. Carried by unanimous vote.

Mayor Schriver offered a resolution that the bid of George Frysinger and Frank Mielke, for painting Rock river bridges, at \$310, be accepted, same to be done according to specifications. Carried by unanimous vote.

Mayor Schriver offered a resolution that the ordinance amending the building ordinance relative to buildings being free from unclean and unsanitary conditions, be and the same is hereby adopted. Carried by unanimous vote.

Mayor Schriver offered a resolution that the ordinance providing for the construction of a watermain on First avenue from Twentieth street to a point 60 feet east of Eighteenth street, be adopted. Carried by unanimous vote.

Mayor Schriver read a report of the board of local improvements, recommending the adoption of an ordinance providing for the construction of a water main on Forty-second street from Fourteenth avenue to the center of lot 35, first addition to Edgewood Park, together with an estimate of the probable cost of same in amount of \$325.60, by the city engineer; also an ordinance providing for said improvement, which ordinance on his motion was considered by unanimous vote.

Mayor Schriver offered a resolution that the ordinance just considered, providing for the construction of a water main on Forty-second street from Fourteenth avenue to the center of lot 35, first addition to Edgewood Park, be adopted. Carried by unanimous vote.

Adjourned on motion of Mayor Schriver.

M. T. RUDGREN,
City Clerk.

Special Meeting Held Nov. 6, 1914.

City Council Chamber, Rock Island, Ill., Nov. 6, 1914. The city council met in special session at 3 o'clock p. m. Mayor Schriver and all commissioners present.

Mayor Schriver offered a resolution that the application of Robert Welch to operate a saloon at No. 316 Twenty-fourth street be refused. Carried by unanimous vote.

Commissioner Rudgren read a report from the mayor and commissioners of their canvass of the vote on annexation at the election held Nov. 3, 1914, and of which report the totals were as follows:

Men—Yes	3,927
Women—Yes	282
Total yes	4,209
Men—No	824
Women—No	37
Total no	861

Commissioner Rudgren offered a resolution that the report of the canvass of the vote on annexation at the recent election held Nov. 3, 1914, be adopted. Carried by unanimous vote.

Adjourned on motion of Commissioner Rudgren.

M. T. RUDGREN,
City Clerk.

Special Meeting Held Nov. 3, 1914.

The City Council Chamber, Rock Island, Ill., Nov. 3, 1914. The city council met in special session at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Mayor Schriver and all commissioners present.

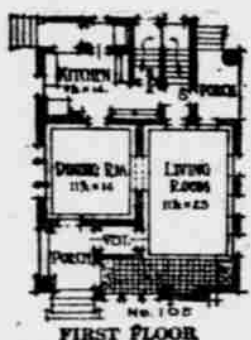
Mayor Schriver offered a resolution that the city attorney be instructed to prepare amendment to the cafe ordinance, fixing the license at \$200 per year for cafe licenses. Carried, ayes, Schriver, Hart, Bear; nays, Rudgren and Reynolds.

Adjourned on motion of Commissioner Reynolds.

M. T. RUDGREN,
City Clerk.

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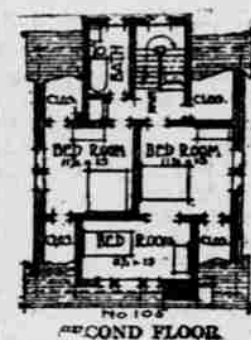
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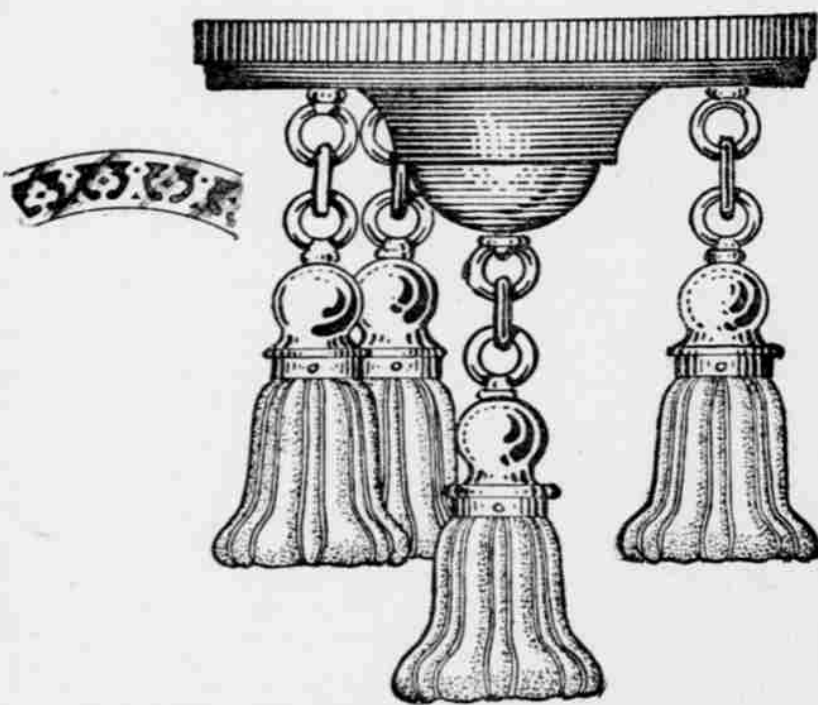
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